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1. Amendment (24 pages);
2. Petition For Extension Of Period For Response (1 page);
3. Fee Determination (After Amendment of Claims) (1 page);
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**FEE DETERMINATION
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